#### Fire Observer the



Lindsley of Centennial, Wyo., has spent the summer as fire observer for the forest service on Medicine Bow peak, the highest point in the Medicine Bow national forest. She is the daughter of A. F. Lindsley, a mining man, and is a former student at the University of Wyoming.

The Medicine Bow lookout is 12,005 feet above sea level. It is in a small, glassed-in shelter house, miles away from the nearest mountain resident, Miss Lindsley maintains a vigil over the forest reserve, where there is stand of three and a half billion feet of timber, valued at \$10,000,000.

On the slope of the peak, and in Wyoming and Colorado. the protected shelter of the dwarfed, If Miss Lindsley is fortunate enough twisted and deformed pines is a small, to be never less alone than when by one-room, rock cabin, which serves as herself she has had a happy summer. a home for the lookout. Early each The region is magnificently scenic.

morning this girl observer begins the climb from her cabin house to the lookout up over boulders, rock slides and banks of perpetual snow. The trail Plant Does Not Withstand Extreme is passable only on foot.

Here, on the topmost pinnacle of he mountain from early morning intil twillight, with the entire range inder view, and under direct observation through the use of powerful oinoculars, suspicious columns of smoke are picked up. These she re-ARAMIE, WYO .- Miss Lorraine ports to the forest ranger or supervisor by telephone. Investigations are promptly made to determine the accurate location of the fire, and firefighters dispatched to the scene, before the fires have had opportunity to gain headway.

From her lookout the Continental divide can be seen stretching through Wyoming and Colorado. The entire Medicine Bow range and Continental divide surrounding North and Estes park can be seen. On clear days she can see a hundred miles. She sometimes is able to observe incipient forest fires in the Hayden, Routt, Arapahoe and Colorado national forests adjoining the Medicine Bow, in

oranges in his possession. He had

ter and oranges were found on his

Kaufman said. "I believe he would

body, untouched. .

## Mother Nature Is a Kindly Old Dame

DRESCOTT, ARIZ.-The body of August Kaufman, automobile tourist from Pasadena, Cal., was found on the desert 50 miles west of Congress Junction, 40 miles south of here, by Mohave county officers. The man had perished from thirst and exposure, after wandering for 72 hours in search of water.

Kaufman, with his wife and three children, was traveling overland from Pasadena to a little ranch in Pinal county. He took a short cut between man died of thirst, with water and Yucca and Congress Junction.

The supply of water became low, taken them with him from the car. so Kaufman left his car and started Evidently he had hoped to get back afoot in search of a fresh supply. to his family and had perished rather For 48 hours the wife and three than touch the water and fruit that

children remained in the machine meant life to him. Anyway, both waawaiting his return. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ruddy, en route from Yucca to their ranch near by, succored the stranded family.

from his car to the spot where the make use of them." body was found. In his travels, he had passed within 50 yards of an arti- dren recovered. She returned to ficial reservoir of water for sheep Pasadena, taking with her the bodies and cattle, the searchers said. Moreover, it developed that Kauf- of exposure.

Daren't Cut His Hair; Wears "Pigtails"



URLINGTON, IA.—"H I be shavparents dare not cut it.

who resides on a farm with his par- the boy sick for a week. ents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dietsch, four miles southwest of Dodgeville, 16 ald to Doctor Zaiser in Burlington, miles from Burlington. He was born When he examined the boy and after on his father's farm December 21, we explained how his sickness fol-1903. He is one of nine children; the lowed immediately upon the shearing others are normal. The young man's of his hair, the doctor said the lad's hair is a dark brown color and he strength was in his hair and warned wears it braided in two braids down us against cutting his hair until he his back. His hair hangs to his waist was of age."

now. It has not been cut for ten

of her husband and Lillian, who died

"The first time we cut Donald's hair he was two years old. I took the scissors myself and trimmed his hair to the ordinary length," said Mrs. Dietsch, mother of the young Samson, "We almost lost him that time. He was taken ill almost immediately, and it was days before he recovered. He never regained his strength until his hair grew back again.

"The second time we tried to cut en, then my strength will go Donald's hair he was in school and from me, and I shall become was about seven years old. He was weak and be like any other man." so sick that time that we had to take Judges 16-17. Thus Samson in ancient him out of school. The illness is of days told the secret of his strength to a peculiar nature. Donald loses his Delilah. Iowa today has a Samson strength and gets a high fever. Then whose strength is in his hair and his he loses all interest in things and falls into a stupor. About a year later we This Samson of the Middle West is | tried for the last time to trim off the Frederick Donald Dietsch, seventeen, ends of his hair, but even that made

"After the last illness we took Don-

## Shirley Smoler, "Fifty-Bean Princess"

HICAGO.-Miss Shirley Smoler, . 3343 West Nineteenth street, is a stenographer, capable and decidedly good looking, in a big down-town establishment. The other girls call her the "Fifty-Bean Princess." In short, every Tuesday the postman brings to Miss Smoler's home a special delivery letter. Shirley tears 'em open, finds a sheet of white scented paper with a corner off, a cryptic message-and a small envelope containing a crisp \$50 bill. This has been going on for seven consecutive weeks.

The notes, or messages, are apparently meaningless, not to say foolish, Here are samples:

"Sign boards all now nicely marked. We want SPECIAL dates with you for July as follows: Each Tuesday. Watch for us. A pleasant Fourth. Your sister??? Give her our kind regards, S. A. L."

friendliness. Why don't you write me money for a gift, no one who might To the office Personal cover-No sig- think my family needed help. As nature. All you know about Four long as the money keeps coming, it's (4) And others I will appreciate very nice. I hope the mystery never and gladly compensate. SALUTE" | clears up," Miss Smoler is not what



Philip R. Davis, 10 South LaSatte

"All my life I've wanted adventure," says Shirley. "And now it's here l don't know what to do.

"If it's somebody who wants information about office affairs I can't give information, because I wouldn't in the first place, and couldn't in the second place, because I have access to none. It really is strange. There is no one who owes me money, no one "Shirley: Thanks for your apparent | who would want to be sending me Shirley is puzzled-so puzzled that you'd call worried, though she fears she has taken her puzzle to Attorney at times she may die of curlosity.

# IS AID TO SOIL

Crop Is Usually Sown After a Grain Crop and Is Ready for Hay in Spring.

## EXCELLENT AS LEGUME

Heat or Cold and Is Best Adapted to Soil Not Very Rich-Methods of Seeding.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A large part of the value of crimson clover lies in the ability which it shares with other clovers to utilize the nitrogen of the air and add it to the soil, say specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. When encouraged to do this, crimson clover is a valuable soil improver. If it is planted on rich land it will utilize the nitrogen already present in the soil and is not stimulated to contribute anything to its own support or to the support of other crops.

Crimson clover is a winter plant of the true clover group. It is also known as scarlet clover, French clover, Italian clover and German clover. It is the only annual true clover that is of more than incidental agricultural importance in the eastern United States. It owes its place in the crop rotation of the Atlantic coastal plain to the fact that it can be planted when the land is not

occupied by ordinary summer crops. The many ways by which this crop may be utilized are discussed by plant specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture in Farmers' Bulletin 1142, "Growing Crimson Clo-

#### An Early Importation.

Though it was brought from Europe to this country in 1818, its value as a forage plant was not recognized until about 1880. The plant does not withstand either extreme heat or cold, and is best adapted to a soil that is not very rich and to a climate where the winters are not severe. Ordinarily it cannot survive the winter in latitudes north of southern Pennsylvania, while in some of the southern states it is frequently killed by dry, hot weather in the fall or spring.

Its growth is comparable to that of winter wheat. Planted in the fall, it lies more or less dormant throughout the winter and completes its growth in the spring. If the summers are not "He was saving them for us," Mrs. too hot it can sometimes be planted in the spring and grown as a summer Searchers for Kaufman traced him have lived if he had been willing to crop, but for this purpose other clovers are usually preferred. Corn in the Mrs. Kaufman and two of her chilsummer with crimson clover in the



Clovers Harness Atmospheric Nitrogen and Store It as Food in the Plant Roots.

winter is a cheap and convenient method of growing a cash crop and a soilimproving crop in the same year. The reputation of crimson clover as a crop increaser is largely based on this simple rotation. Instances are by no means rare where the yield of corn has been gradually increased from ten bushels to as high as seventy hushels to the acre by this means.

#### Seeding Crop of Clover.

Crimson clover may be seeded in practically any of the cultivated truck crops, which receive their last cultivation from eight to twelve weeks before the first frost. It is not wise to seed clover in late potatoes, sweet potatoes or other root crops, as the digging in the fall practically destroys the clover. Neither does it do well when sown into cowpeas, sorghum or watermelons, owing to the heavy shade cast by those crops. The most common cause of failure to obtain a stand of crimson clover is a period of hot, dry weather occurring after planting.

The roots of crimson clover are inoculated by the same strain of bacteria which occurs on the roots of all true clovers; consequently a field which has produced a good stand of red. mammoth, alsike, white, hop, Carolina. rabbit's foot or buffalo clover is usu- into humus to improve your soil. If ally sufficiently inoculated for crimson | wheat is to be sown on oat fields the clover. Methods of inoculation, seed- land should be turned as soon as posing, the choice of seed and the treat- sible. If a spring crop is to follow ment of the stand are fully described | wheat, break as soon as you can to in the bulletin, which may be had upon | check weeds and get the land ready request of the United States Depart- for the next crop. The "blow sands" ment of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. had probably best be left till spring

## **FOWLS REQUIRE GOOD** CARE DURING SUMMER

Poor Economy to Neglect Hens During Rush Work.

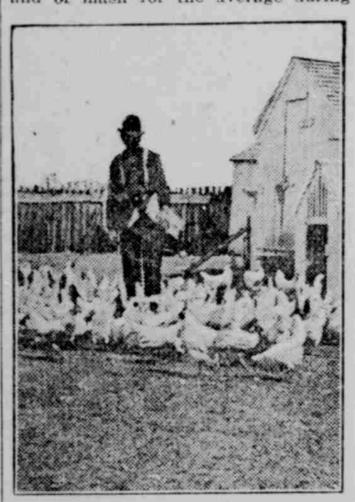
If They Cannot Be Given Free Range It Will Be Necessary to Furnish Ample Supply of Green Feed-Give Some Milk.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) In the rush of summer work the bens often are neglected on many farms. This is poor economy, because the care

extent the profits to be realized. The poultrymen of the Department of Agriculture advise that heas be given free range, if possible, during the summer months, and if they cannot be given free range that as much green feed be furnished as they will readily consume. Milk is excellent during the summer months. Buttermilk also may be used, or semi-solid buttermilk if the

they receive will determine to a large

regular buttermilk is not obtainable. The department advises feeding about equal parts of scratch grains and of mash for the average during



Hens on Free Range Do Not Need as Much Grain as Those Closely Con-

the year, but the pullets will not eat the dry mash freely in the fall, so that it is necessary to feed them about two parts of scratch feed to one part of mash, reducing this to about equal parts of mash and scratch feed February 1, and still further reducing the scratch feed about June 1 so that the hens will eat nearly two parts mash to one part of scratch feed. Feed scratch grains lightly in the morning and give a full feed in the evening. feeding roughly about three times as much scratch grains in the evening as in the morning. Different flocks will consume different amounts of feeds. but roughly the following amounts should be fed:

Pounds of Scratch Feed to 100 Hens.

Season-		Leghorns	General Purpose Breeds
Fall until January	31	. 1014	13
June 1 to October			11½ 9¾
Scratch G			200

3 parts cracked corn 1 part wheat 2 parts oats One quart of this scratch feed will weigh 1% pounds. Dry Mash for Leghorns.

1 part bran 6 p'ts meat or fish scrap 1 part middlings 16 parts corn meal Dry Mash for General-Purpose Breeds. 1 part bran 1 part middlings 1½ parts meat scrap 3 parts corn meal

2 parts ground oats

Add 5 pounds of linseed meal to 100 pounds of this mash. All parts are by weight.

### SUNFLOWER GOOD AS SILAGE

Becoming Popular in Northwestern Sections Where Corn Is Difficult to Grow.

The use of sunflowers for silage has proved popular in certain of the Northern Great Plains and Inter-Mountain states where it is not possible to produce a large tonnage of corn for silage purposes. In some sections the silage made from sunflowers has been found to compare favorably in palatability and feeding value with silage made from corn. This is not always the case, however, as it appears that in certain irrigated districts in the Northern Great Plains where the growth of sunflowers is rank and succulent, the resulting silage is often not very palatable. Experiments reported from the Huntley experiment farm in Montana of the United States Department of Agriculture show that while it is possible to produce from 25 to 30 tons of sunflowers per acre, it has been difficult to produce a silage that is as much relished by live stock as corn silage, which gives rather less than half as much tonnage per acre.

#### CARING FOR STUBBLE LANDS

Turn as Soon as There Is Sufficient Moisture-Convert Weeds Into Needed Humus.

Oats and wheat stubble that have not been turned should be turned as soon as there is sufficient moisture. Get rid of weeds by converting them



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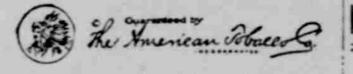
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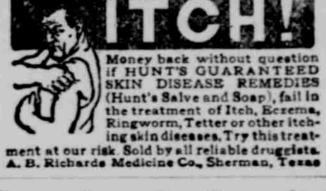
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